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## HONOR ROLL

### *Recognition of Patriotic Service*

*Charles Merrill	Elvin Stetson
Donald Wilson	Robert Morrell
Fred Hankin, Jr.	Waldo Bond
Thomas Cronshaw	Mary E. Rumford
John Finn	Peter Finn
George Michaud	Arnold Bonner
E. Edward Johnson	Matthew F. Carney, Jr.
James Pierce	Orrin B. Dow
John N. MacInnes	Glendon Stetson
*Thomas R. Sheehy, Jr.	Frederick B. Sheehy
John Merrill	Henry Stetson
Kenneth W. Johnson	Shirley Smith
Gerald Stetson	Martin Magnan
Donald Caswell	Reginald Sharp
Gerald Monaghan	William L. Carney
Robert Bonner	D. Perry Smith, Jr.
Wilmot Cunningham	Leon Spencer
Earl W. Price	Marie V. Finn
Eugene Austin	Edward E. Kendall
Harold Morse	R. Vernon Glass
Alfred Conner, Jr.	Vivian Sharp
David Wilson	Robert W. Pettengill
Frank P. Daley	John R. Evans
George Dick	Maurice Kalway
William F. Rogers	John MacInnes, Jr.
Edwin R. Finn	Leonard E. Young
Robert T. Barker	John A. Monaghan

*In Memoriam*

1st Lt. Thomas R. Sheehy

*In Memoriam*

1st Lt. Charles Merrill

# Town Officers

## *Selectmen*

LESLIE F. HAYDEN ..... Term expires March, 1950  
THOMAS R. SHEEHY ..... Term expires March, 1951  
EDWARD KENDALL ..... Term expires March, 1952

## *Town Clerk and Treasurer*

ALICE J. PATRIDGE

## *Highway Agent*

D. PERRY SMITH

## *Moderator*

JAMES E. GRAY

## *Health Officer*

JAMES E. GRAY

## *Trustees of Trust Funds*

ROBERT E. NIXON ..... Term expires March, 1950  
JAMES E. GRAY ..... Term expires March, 1951  
ROY M. WOODWARD ..... Term expires March, 1952

## *Library Trustees*

ISABEL PAUL ..... Term expires March, 1950  
ALFRED CONNER, JR. .... Term expires March, 1951  
GRACE SMITH ..... Term expires March, 1952

## *School Board*

GLADYS M. SMITH ..... Term expires March, 1950  
LILLIAN CARNEY ..... Term expires March, 1951  
GEORGE L. HINCKLEY ..... Term expires March, 1952

## *Tax Collector*

HELEN J. SIMPSON

## *Fire Chief*

ROBERT BARKER

## *Auditor*

Books Audited by A. W. Johnson, C. P. A.

## *Supervisors of Check-Lists*

EVA HAYDEN                      ROSE ALTHEA BEAN      GEORGE MONAGHAN

## *Budget Committee*

JAMES E. GRAY                  ROBERT E. NIXON      ALFRED CONNER, JR.  
HENRY PIERCE                  LESLIE F. HAYDEN      GEORGE EARL SMITH  
GLADYS SMITH                  ROY WOODWARD          JOHN E. HERLIHY

## *Police Department*

CHIEF JAMES E. GRAY                  POLICE OFFICER ERNEST C. CHICK

## *Measurers of Wood*

JOHN EDWARD HERLIHY AND D. PERRY SMITH



# Town Warrant

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## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newfields, in the  
County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to  
vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Newfields on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, next, at two of the clock in the afternoon to eight of the clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as maybe necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to grant a discount on taxes paid in full on or before August 15th, discount to be three per cent.
4. To see if the voters will authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate \$6,000.00 in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current municipal year, and to issue in the name and on the credit of the Town negotiable notes therefore, said notes to be repaid during the current municipal year from taxes collected within the current municipal year.
5. To see if the Town will vote to pay the Tax Collector the usual two per cent for collecting taxes.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) to help pay for a Memorial for Veterans of World War II.
7. To see if the provisions of Chapter 171A of the revised laws relative to playing games of Beano be adopted by this Town?
8. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal the 14th day of Feb.  
ruary, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and  
fifty.

LESLIE F. HAYDEN,  
THOMAS R. SHEEHY,  
EDWARD KENDALL,

*Selectmen of Newfields, N. H.*

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

LESLIE F. HAYDEN,  
THOMAS R. SHEEHY,  
EDWARD KENDALL,

*Selectmen of Newfields, N. H.*

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### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

Polls will be open from two o'clock in the afternoon  
until seven o'clock in the evening for voting for Town  
Officers. The business meeting will be held at seven  
o'clock in the evening as voted at last March Town Meet-  
ing.

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### IN MEMORIAM

**William G. Nixon**

*Selectman*

1927 to 1949

# Budget of the Town of

Estimate of Revenue from January 1, 1950, to December 31, 1950.  
Expenditures from January 1, 1949, to December 31, 1949.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1949	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1950
FROM STATE:		
Interest and dividend tax .....	\$2,133.15	\$2,000.00
Railroad tax .....	634.66	600.00
Savings bank tax .....	44.90	45.00
Forest fires .....	8.25	
FROM LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES:		
Dog licenses .....	168.28	160.00
Rent of town property .....	5.00	
Interest received on taxes .....	43.85	
Registration of motor vehicles .....	990.24	900.00
Damage by dogs .....	35.00	
RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE:		
Sale of town property .....	1.00	
Temporary loans .....	5,000.00	
Sale of cemetery lots .....		
Cash on hand January 1, 1949 .....	1,590.07	
Plowing snow .....	26.00	
Tarring roads .....	214.00	
Spraying trees .....		
Filing fees .....	6.00	
Refunds .....	14.00	
Redeemed taxes .....	24.22	
Long term loan .....		
Capital reserve fund .....	107.82	
Old Age Assistance — refund .....		
License for taxi service .....	10.00	
Total revenue from all sources except property taxes .....	\$11,056.44	\$3,705.00
Property and Poll Taxes .....	16,303.12	
Total revenues .....	\$27,359.56	



# Newfields, New Hampshire

PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Ex- penditures Previous Year 1949	*Estimated Expendi- tures En- suing Year 1950
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>		
<b>GENERAL GOVERNMENT:</b>		
Town Officers' salaries .....	\$803.89	\$800.00
Town Officers' expenses .....	618.96	500.00
Election and registration expenses .....	96.75	175.00
Expenses Town Hall and other buildings .....	249.45	400.00
<b>PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:</b>		
Police department .....	90.68	125.00
Fire department .....	556.78	600.00
Moth extermination .....	59.63	150.00
Health department .....	40.80	20.00
Vital statistics .....	10.00	15.00
Town Dump .....		20.00
Damage by dogs .....		
<b>HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:</b>		
Town maintenance (Summer, \$1,027.01; winter, \$550.00) .....	1,577.01	1,500.00
Street lighting .....	1,020.46	1,050.00
General expenses of highway depart- ment .....	415.16	200.00
Town Road Aid, T.R.A. ....	89.49	90.00
<b>LIBRARIES:</b>		
Libraries' Insurance .....	334.77	250.00
<b>CHARITIES:</b>		
Old Age Assistance .....	1,141.52	1,200.00
Town Poor .....	585.71	650.00
<b>PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:</b>		
Parks and playgrounds .....	26.14	75.00
Memorial Day .....	31.80	30.00
Old Home Day .....	25.00	
Badger Park .....	494.20	
<b>PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:</b>		
Cemeteries .....	42.12	60.00
Unclassified taxes bought by Town ....	115.03	
<b>INTERESTS:</b>		
Paid on temporary loans .....		
Paid on long term notes .....	129.00	120.00
<b>OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION:</b>		
State aid construction .....		
<b>INDEBTEDNESS:</b>		
†Payments on long term note .....	700.00	700.00
Payments on temporary loans .....	5,000.00	
<b>PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS:</b>		
Taxes paid to County .....	1,972.47	2,000.00
‡Payments to school districts .....	9,528.75	12,244.56
Regional Seacoast Development Ass'n ..	34.00	34.00
Blanket insurance — firemen .....	112.50	
<b>Total Expenditures .....</b>	<b>\$25,902.07</b>	<b>\$23,008.56</b>

\*—Town Budget, 1950, as recommended by Budget Committee.

†—Exeter Banking Company Fire Truck Bond.

‡—Due School District, \$3,770.10 in Town Treasury.

## Summary of Inventory

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Taken by Selectmen April 1, 1949

212 polls @ \$2.00	
real estate, land and buildings .....	\$327,410.00
growing wood and timber .....	2,700.00
electric equipment, poles and wires ..	11,397.00
6 horses .....	800.00
65 cows .....	9,600.00
18 goats .....	270.00
neat stock .....	.....
2751 fowl .....	3,875.00
wood and lumber .....	19,945.00
2 gasoline pumps and tanks .....	190.00
stock in trade .....	2,770.00
machinery .....	1,800.00
portable mills .....	.....
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Total valuation .....	\$380,757.00
Less Soldiers' exemptions .....	35,830.00
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Total valuation .....	\$344,927.00

Tax rate, \$4.92 per \$100.00 valuation.

### *Taxes Committed to Tax Collector:*

Property taxes .....	\$17,401.66
Poll taxes .....	424.00
National Bank shares taxes .....	7.25
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	\$17,832.91

Added Taxes .....

Interest charged .....

Total Taxes to be Committed .....



## LIST OF 1949 APPROPRIATIONS

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Town officers' salaries .....	\$770.00
Town officers' expenses .....	450.00
Election and registration expenses .....	100.00
Town Hall expenses .....	550.00
Police department .....	125.00
Fire department .....	500.00
Moth extermination .....	100.00
Health department .....	40.00
Vital statistics .....	15.00
Town maintenance (winter \$700, summer \$800) .....	1,500.00
Street lighting .....	1,020.00
General expenses of highway department	150.00
Libraries .....	350.00
Old age assistance .....	950.00
Town poor .....	650.00
Parks and playgrounds .....	75.00
Patriotic purposes .....	30.00
Cemeteries .....	60.00
State aid construction T. R. A. ....	90.00
County tax .....	1,972.47
Regional Seacoast Development Ass'n....	34.00
School appropriation .....	9,770.10
Interest .....	115.00
Payment on Long Term Note .....	700.00
Blanket Insurance, Firemen .....	112.00
Badger Park .....	100.00
Old Home Week .....	25.00
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Total .....	\$20,353.57

## ASSETS

Plowing Driveways .....	\$11.00
Cash in hands of Treasurer .....	1,457.49
Taxes, uncollected levy of 1949 and 1947 .....	2,147.07
Unredeemed taxes levy of 1946-1947-1948 .....	144.97
Capital reserve funds .....	321.64
State Treasury T. R. A. Fund .....	5.76
Tarring Road .....	
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Total .....	\$4,087.93
Excess of Liabilities over assets .....	2,239.57
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	\$6,327.50

## LIABILITIES

Due School District .....	\$3,770.10
Capital Reserve Fund .....	321.64
Exeter Banking Co., Fire truck notes ....	2,100.00
State Treasurer T. R. A. fund .....	5.76
Spraying Trees .....	80.00
Assessing Town Property .....	50.00
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Total .....	\$6,327.50

## STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

## EXETER BANKING COMPANY

1 Due April 1, 1950 .....	\$700.00
2 Due April 1, 1951 .....	700.00
3 Due April 1, 1952 .....	700.00



## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall .....	\$15,000.00
Furniture and equipment .....	1,250.00
Library, furniture and equipment .....	5,000.00
Fire department buildings .....	800.00
Fire department equipment .....	4,000.00
Highway equipment .....	600.00
Schoolhouse .....	4,000.00
School equipment .....	1,500.00
D. E. Smith, land on Cuba Road .....	100.00
Town Dump .....	200.00
Land acquired through tax collector's deeds:	
Peter Hamel, sprout land .....	75.00
Everett W. Bennett, sprout land .....	75.00
Mrs. Harry Harmon, Ellis land on Lee Road .....	100.00
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Total .....	\$32,700.00

## Town Clerk's Report

*Dr.*

### DOGS

Total number of dogs licensed	69	
39 Male dogs		\$78.00
15 Spayed dogs		30.00
15 Female dogs		75.00
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		\$183.00

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### *Less expenses:*

Tags	\$4.55	
Post card notices	1.50	
Postage	.17	
Fees	10.35	
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		\$16.57

\$166.43  
1.85

Jan. 10, Paid Treasurer		
1-'48 license		\$1.85
May 6, Paid Treasurer		50.00
June 2, Paid Treasurer		40.00
July 5, Paid Treasurer		30.00
Dec. 6, Paid Treasurer		35.00
Dec. 31, Paid Treasurer		11.43
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\$168.28

*Dr.*

Issued 7, 1948 Auto permits	..	\$10.48
224, 1949 Auto permits	..	979.76
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\$990.24

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Paid Treasurer	\$990.24
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ALICE J. PATRIDGE,  
Town Clerk.



# Tax Collector's Report

## Summary of Warrant

### Levy of 1947

Uncollected Poll Tax ..... \$2.00

### Levy of 1948

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1949 :

Property Tax ..... \$1,256.16

Poll Taxes ..... 70.00

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\$1,326.16

Interest collected ..... 41.62

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\$1,367.78

Remittance to the treasurer:

Property Tax ..... \$1,256.16

Poll Taxes ..... 64.00

Interest ..... 41.62

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\$1,361.78

Abatements allowed ..... 6.00

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\$1,367.78

### Levy of 1949

Taxes Committed to the Collector:

Property Taxes .... \$16,970.41

Poll Taxes ..... 424.00

Bank Stock ..... 7.25

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\$17,401.66

Interest collected ..... 2.23

Added Poll Tax ..... 2.00

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\$17,405.89

## Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes . . . .	\$14,631.71
Poll Taxes . . . . .	344.00
Bank Stock . . . . .	7.25
Interest . . . . .	2.23

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\$14,985.19

Abatements Allowed . . . .	\$12.00
Discounts Allowed . . . . .	263.62

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\$275.63
Uncollected Taxes as per Tax  
Collector's List:

Property Taxes . . . .	\$2,075.07
Poll Taxes . . . . .	70.00

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\$2,145.07

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\$17,405.89

Tax Sale on Account of Levies of	1948	1947	1946
Taxes sold to the Town dur- ing Current Fiscal Year . .	\$98.72		
Balance Unredeemed Taxes Jan. 1, 1949 . . . . .		\$33.67	\$6.83
Interest Collected after the Sale . . . . .		1.50	
	<hr/> \$98.72	<hr/> \$35.17	<hr/> \$6.83
Remittances to the Treasurer during year . . . . .		\$24.22	
Unredeemed at close of year .	\$98.72	10.95	\$6.83
	<hr/> \$98.72	<hr/> \$35.17	<hr/> \$6.83



## Unredeemed taxes from Tax

Sale on account of levies of:

Annie Thompson Hrs.....	\$60.58		
Walter Spencer .....	38.14		
Agusta Burham .....		\$10.95	
Eva Ferguson .....			\$6.83
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	\$98.72	\$10.95	\$6.83
Taxes Paid by the Town:	1949	1948	1947
Eva Ferguson .....	\$4.92	\$4.56	\$3.70
Agusta Burham .....	9.84	9.12	
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	\$14.76	\$13.68	\$3.70

HELEN J. SIMPSON,

*Tax Collector.*

LESLIE F. HAYDEN,

EDWARD KENDALL,

THOMAS R. SHEEHY,

*Selectmen of Newfields, N. H.*

# Treasurer's Report

## SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Balance, January, 1949 .....	\$1,590.07
Property and regular poll taxes .....	16,303.12
Interest on taxes .....	43.85
Sale of Town property .....	1.00
Newmarket Court .....	
Rental of Town Hall .....	5.00
Interest and dividend tax .....	2,133.15
Railroad taxes .....	634.66
Savings Bank tax .....	44.90
Dog licenses .....	168.28
Automobile permits .....	990.24
Filing fees .....	16.00
Redeemed taxes and interest .....	24.22
Loan Rockingham National Bank .....	5,000.00
Long term note, Exeter Banking Co. ....	
Refunds .....	14.00
Miscellaneous .....	
Plowing snow .....	26.00
Cemetery lot .....	
Fighting forest fires .....	8.25
Capital Reserve Fund .....	107.82
Damage from dogs .....	35.00
Tarring road, Rockingham .....	214.00
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Total receipts .....	\$27,359.56

## SUMMARY OF ALL PAYMENTS

*Actual Expenditures, 1949:*

Town officers' salaries .....	\$803.89
Town officers' expenses .....	618.96
Election and registration .....	96.75
Town Hall expenses .....	249.45
Police department .....	90.68
Fire department .....	556.78
Insurance .....	112.50
Moth extermination .....	59.63
Health department .....	40.80
Vital statistics .....	10.00
Town maintenance (Summer—Winter) ...	1,577.01
Street lighting .....	1,020.46
General expenses, highway department ....	415.16
Libraries .....	334.77
Old Age Assistance .....	1,141.52
Town poor .....	585.71
Patriotic purposes .....	31.80
Parks and playgrounds .....	26.14
Cemeteries .....	42.12
Interest on loans .....	129.00
Taxes bought by Town .....	100.27
Taxes paid by Town .....	14.76
State Aid Construction, T.R.A. ....	89.49
Payments on temporary loans .....	5,000.00
Payment on long term note .....	700.00
County tax .....	1,972.47
Payments to school district .....	9,528.75
Seacoast Regional Development Ass'n .....	34.00
Capital Reserve Fund .....	
Dog damage .....	
Badger Park, special appropriation .....	494.20
Old Home Day .....	25.00
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Total payments for all purposes .....	\$25,902.07



## DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

1949

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1949 ..... \$1,590.07

Jan.

7, Ella M. Kaskiewicz, plowing snow ..	5.00
10, Russell Wilson, oiling side road to farm .....	125.00
10, 1—1948 Dog license, \$2 less fee \$ .15	1.85
22, James A. Beairsto, Plowing snow ....	9.00
29, Oren Dow, Plowing snow .....	2.00
31, Town Clerk, 5—1948 Auto Permits #142999-143003 .....	9.10

Feb.

5, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector	
1948 21 Poll Taxes .....	\$42.00
1948 Property Taxes ....	281.58
Interest .....	3.86
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	\$327.44
17, Town Clerk, 25 Auto Permits #142801-142825 .....	147.16
19, Helen J. Simpson, filing fee for Tax Collector .....	\$1.00
21, Kenneth K. Webb, filing fee for Selectman .....	1.00
23, Edward Kendall, filing fee for Selectman .....	1.00
23, D. Perry Smith, filing fee for for Highway Agent ....	1.00
24, Alice J. Patridge, filing fee for Town Clerk .....	1.00
24, Alice J. Patridge, filing fee for Town Treasurer ....	1.00
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	\$6.00
Town Clerk	
2-1948 Auto Permits ...	\$1.38

25 Auto Permits, 142826-142850 .....	149.34	
	<hr/>	\$150.72
Mar.		
5, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector		
1948 Poll Taxes .....	\$6.00	
1948 Property Taxes ..	28.66	
1948 Interest .....	.23	
	<hr/>	\$34.89
15, Town Clerk		
25 Auto Permits #142851-142875		95.94
22, Rockingham National Bank, Town Note .....		5,000.00
28, Town Clerk		
Auto Permits #142876-142901-142926 .....		151.41
Apr.		
2, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector		
4-1948 Poll Taxes .....	\$8.00	
1948 Property Taxes ..	72.96	
Interest .....	2.34	
	<hr/>	\$83.30
18, Treasurer Town of Newfields, Forest Fire Refund .....		8.25
27, Town Clerk		
Auto Permits #142926-142950 ..		140.12
30, Town of Newfields, Land to Mrs. Garland by vote of 1947 Town Meeting		1.00
May		
6, Town Clerk, Dog Licenses .....		\$50.00
7, Helen J. Timpson, Tax Collector		
1948 Poll Taxes .....	\$4.00	
1948 Property Taxes ..	37.52	
Interest .....	2.05	
	<hr/>	\$43.57

## June

2, Town Clerk, Dog Licenses .....	\$40.00
4, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector	
46 Poll Taxes 1949 .....	\$92.00
1 Poll Tax 1948 .....	2.00
Property Taxes 1948 .....	344.28
Interest 1948 .....	8.20
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	\$446.48
15, Town Clerk, 24 Auto Permits .....	\$123.68

## July

2, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector	
20 Poll Taxes, 1949 .....	\$40.00
Property Taxes, 1948 .....	267.72
Interest, 1948 .....	15.41
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	\$323.13
5, Town Clerk, Dog Licenses .....	\$30.00

## Aug.

6, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector	
9 Poll Taxes, 1949 .....	\$18.00
Property Taxes, 1948 .....	125.40
Interest .....	5.28
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	\$148.68
15, Mary B. Hallinan, Refund for Special Police, Old Home Day .....	\$14.00

## Sept.

3, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector	
30 Poll Taxes, 1949 .....	\$60.00
Property Taxes, 1949 .....	7,866.83
Property Taxes, 1948 .....	98.04
Interest .....	4.13
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	\$8,029.00
3, Town Clerk, 25 Auto Permits 142976- 143000 .....	\$81.80



## Oct.

1, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector		
12 Poll Taxes, 1949 . . . . .	\$24.00	
1 Poll Tax, 1948 . . . . .	2.00	
Property Taxes, 1949 . . .	1,691.26	
Interest . . . . .	.12	
	<hr/>	\$1,717.38

## Nov.

5, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector		
14 Poll Taxes, 1949 . . . . .	\$28.00	
Property Taxes, 1949 . . .	1,233.27	
Nat'l Bank Stock . . . . .	7.25	
	<hr/>	\$1,268.52
26, Selectmen, Town of Newfields		
License for Taxi Service	\$10.00	

## Dec.

3, Helen J. Simpson, Tax Collector		
11 Poll Taxes, 1949 . . . . .	22.00	
Property Taxes, 1949 . . .	2,367.00	
6, Town Clerk, Dog Licenses . . .	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,434.00
7, Russell Wilson, oiling 2 miles		
Bay Road . . . . .	\$89.00	
14, John N. MacInnes, Plowing		
snow . . . . .	2.00	
15, Alfred Conner, Jr., Plowing		
snow . . . . .	3.00	
17, Thomas Kimball, Plowing		
snow . . . . .	1.00	
19, Donald W. Caswell, Damage		
by dogs in 1948 . . . . .	35.00	
19, State of New Hampshire, State Refunds		
Savings Bank Tax . . . . .	\$44.90	
Railroad Tax . . . . .	634.66	
Int. and Dividend Tax . . .	2,133.15	
	<hr/>	\$2,942.71

21, Robert E. Nixon, Plowing snow.....	1.00
22, Badger Park Capital Reserve	
Principal .....	\$100.00
Interest .....	7.21
Bal. int. Fire Equipment.....	.61
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	\$107.82
30, Warren T. Carney, Plowing snow.....	3.00
31, Town Clerk, 24 Auto Permits.....	90.31
31, Helen J. Simpson, Collector	
30-1949 Poll Taxes .....	\$60.00
Property Taxes .....	1,473.35
Interest .....	2.23
Previous years taxes .....	24.22
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	\$1,559.80
31, Town Clerk, Balance of dog licenses..	\$11.43
31, George Monaghan, Rent of Town Hall	5.00
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Total Receipts .....	\$27,359.56

ALICE J. PATRIDGE,

*Treasurer.*

## DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Alice J. Patridge, issuing auto permits . . . .	\$115.00
Alice J. Patridge, town treasurer . . . . .	45.00
Alice J. Patridge, town clerk . . . . .	35.00
Helen J. Simpson, tax collector . . . . .	318.89
William G. Nixon Estate, selectman . . . . .	25.00
Edward Kendall, selectman . . . . .	75.00
Leslie F. Hayden, selectman . . . . .	115.00
James F. Gray, dog officer . . . . .	5.00
Robert E. Nixon, treasurer of trustees . . . .	20.00
Thomas R. Sheehy, selectman . . . . .	50.00
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Total . . . . .	\$803.89

### TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Mary B. Hallinan, stamps . . . . .	\$19.86
Edson C. Eastman, supplies . . . . .	13.00
Exeter News-Letter Co., printing town re- ports and supplies . . . . .	233.25
D. L. Garrison, Auto Guide . . . . .	7.50
C. R. Hardy, treas. Town Clerk Asso., dues . .	2.00
James E. Gray, telephone and stamps . . . .	.66
Exeter Banking Co., safe deposit box, trus- tees . . . . .	6.00
Frances Kendall, typing . . . . .	10.00
Alfred Conner, Jr., town officers' bonds . . .	40.00
DeMeritt Agency, tax collector's bond . . . .	17.50
Arthur W. Johnson, auditing books . . . . .	30.00
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association, dues . . .	2.00
Association of N. H. Assessors, dues . . . .	2.00
John W. A. Green, copying transfers . . . . .	5.80
Ruth Hayden, copying inventory . . . . .	10.00
Sargent Bros., tax bills and supplies . . . .	10.85
Leslie F. Hayden, mileage and telephones . .	20.27



Helen J. Simpson, expenses to convention ..	11.00
Thomas R. Sheehy, expenses .....	25.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, Town Clerk supplies ..	7.68
George R. Scammon, legal services .....	133.05
Secretary of State, fee legalizing school meeting .....	.75
Wheeler and Clark, supplies .....	2.01
Edward Kendall, telephone and supplies ..	3.00
Alice J. Patridge, postage .....	5.78
Total .....	<hr/> \$618.96

#### ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Eva S. Patridge, Assistant Town Clerk....	\$4.00
Exeter News-Letter Co., printing ballots ..	9.75
Eva G. Hayden, supervisor .....	15.00
R. Althea Bean, supervisor .....	15.00
George Monaghan, supervisor .....	15.00
James E. Gray, moderator .....	10.00
Mary B. Hallinan, ballot clerk .....	4.00
Emma P. Conner, ballot clerk .....	4.00
Carolyn Anderson, dinners .....	12.00
Inez M. Hartt, ballot clerk .....	4.00
Pearl Button, ballot clerk .....	4.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$96.75

#### TOWN HALL AND OTHER TOWN BUILDINGS

N. H. Gas and Electric Co., light .....	\$54.98
D. Perry Smith, wood .....	20.00
Merle Sharp, wood .....	10.00
A. J. Turcotte, supplies .....	16.68
Walter R. Cronshaw, labor .....	3.50
W. A. McGaughey, repair furnace .....	11.00
William G. Nixon, keys .....	.50

Rival Foods, supplies .....	19.34
H. R. Haines Co., coal .....	45.05
George Monaghan, janitor services .....	68.40
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Total .....	\$249.45
Refunds, rental of hall (Ann Hayden) .....	5.00
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Total cost to town .....	\$244.45

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

Robert Valliere, police service .....	\$7.00
Joseph Grochmel, police service .....	7.00
James Herlihy, special police services .....	13.75
James E. Gray, police services .....	43.93
Leslie F. Hayden, special police services ..	12.00
Edward Kendall, special police services .....	7.00
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Total .....	\$90.68
Less refund (Old Home Committee) .....	14.09
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Total cost to town .....	\$76.38

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Frank Pearson, agency, insurance on truck	\$74.64
Robert T. Barker, fire chief .....	10.00
N. H. Gas and Electric Co., electricity .....	30.76
H. R. Haines Co., range oil .....	37.14
Happy's Garage, repairs on fire truck, gas ..	3.10
American Fire Equipment Co., supplies ...	159.28
W. George Nixon, supply .....	.50
Alfred Conner, Jr., insurance .....	12.25
The Squamscott Press, printing cards ...	9.00
Riverside Machine & Tool Corp., labor .....	5.00
Vernon Pettengill, gas .....	7.45
Young's Hardware .....	5.65

Carl Stockbridge, supplies .....	4.82
Gorham Fire Equipment Co., supplies .....	166.74
Total .....	<hr/> \$526.33

#### FOREST WARDEN DEPARTMENT

D. Perry Smith, warden's attending classes	\$16.50
D. Perry Smith, battery for fire truck .....	13.95
Total .....	<hr/> \$30.45
Less refunds .....	8.25
Total forest warden department .....	<hr/> \$22.20
Mass. Bonding and Ins. Co., blanket insurance on firemen .....	112.50
Fire Prevention, total cost to town .....	<hr/> \$661.03

#### OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire, town's share .....	\$1,141.52
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#### TOWN POOR

State Cancer Commission .....	\$36.40
Merle Sharp, wood .....	11.40
Leslie Hayden, overseer of poor .....	15.00
H. R. Haines Co., coal .....	156.18
Edward Marcotte, groceries .....	244.48
Leslie Hayden, milk .....	38.61
N. H. Gas & Electric, lights .....	4.14
Dr. John A. Hunter .....	79.50
Total .....	<hr/> \$585.71



## MOTH EXTERMINATION

Ralston Tree Service, Inc., trimming trees . .	\$59.63
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## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

D. Perry Smith, labor on covering cisterns	\$14.80
James E. Gray, health officer . . . . .	10.00
Merle Sharp, cleaning dump . . . . .	10.00
L. P. Ladd, lumber for cistern covers . . . . .	6.00
Total . . . . .	<hr/> \$40.80

## VITAL STATISTICS

Alice J. Patridge, recording vital statistics .	\$10.00
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## STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

N. H. State Treasurer, T.R.A., town share . .	\$89.49
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## DAMAGES BY DOG

## STREET LIGHTING

N. H. Gas and Electric Co., street lights . . . .	\$1,020.46
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## GENERAL EXPENSES OF

## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., snow plow and parts	\$274.86
The DeMeritt Agency, insurance, workmen's compensation . . . . .	34.00
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, salt . . . . .	73.80
Rival Foods, Inc., salt . . . . .	32.50
Total . . . . .	<hr/> \$415.16

## LIBRARIES

The Patridge Agency, insurance .....	\$50.00
Inez Hartt, janitor services .....	55.75
Helen Simpson, librarian .....	125.00
Callahan Oil Service, range oil and repairs ..	34.09
N. H. Gas and Electric Co., lights .....	13.93
Alfred Conner, Jr., insurance .....	56.00
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Total .....	\$334.77

## PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Sheehy-Merrill Post #104, flags and wreaths	\$31.80
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## PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Ernest L. Pease, mowing grass .....	\$9.75
James A. Herlihy, mowing grass .....	9.75
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, grass seed ..	6.64
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Total .....	\$26.14

## CEMETERIES

Ernest Pease, mowing grass .....	\$8.06
James Herlihy, mowing grass .....	8.06
D. Perry Smith, mowing grass .....	6.00
James Herlihy, sharpening lawn mowers ...	6.00
Sharp Brothers, cutting trees .....	10.00
Merle Sharp, and truck .....	4.00
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Total .....	\$42.12

PAYMENTS TO OTHER  
GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Taxes paid to county treasurer .....	\$1,972.47
Payments to school district .....	9,528.75

Regional Seacoast Development Association	34.00
Taxes bought by town .....	100.27
Taxes paid by town .....	14.76
Mary B. Hallinan, treasurer of Old Home Day Committee .....	25.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$11,675.25

#### PAYMENTS ON TEMPORARY LOANS

Rockingham National Bank .....	\$5,000.00
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#### INTEREST ON LOANS

Rockingham National Bank .....	\$80.00
The Exeter Banking Co. ....	49.00
Total .....	<hr/> \$129.00

#### PAYMENTS ON LONG TERM NOTES

The Exeter Banking Co. ....	\$700.00
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#### BADGER PARK

Etta Littlefield, gravel .....	\$42.60
D. Perry Smith, and truck .....	113.20
D. Perry Smith, Jr., and shovel .....	177.10
Merle Sharp, and truck .....	90.60
Frederick Sharp, labor .....	48.30
Reginald Sharp, labor .....	22.40
Total .....	<hr/> \$494.20

# Report of Highway Agent

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## TOWN MAINTENANCE

### *Rate:*

Foreman at \$0.80 per hour. Labor at \$0.70 per hour.  
Trucks and driver Summer Work, \$1.70 per hour.  
Trucks and driver plowing snow, \$2.50 per hour.

### *Winter Work:*

D. Perry Smith and truck .....	\$147.30
D. P. Smith, Jr., labor .....	59.50
Leslie Hayden, labor .....	2.10
Fred Sharp, labor .....	90.30
Merle Sharp, and truck .....	231.90
William Chick, labor .....	17.50
George Caswell, labor .....	1.40
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Total .....	\$550.00

### *Summer Work:*

Repairs on roads, mowing bushes, and  
cleaning ditches:

D. Perry Smith and truck .....	\$275.00
D. Perry Smith, Jr., labor .....	138.00
George Caswell .....	4.20
Merle Sharp, labor .....	141.00
Fred Sharp, labor .....	75.60
Reginald Sharp, labor .....	28.00
Edward E. Kendall, labor .....	7.00
William Chick, labor .....	4.90
John Monaghan, labor .....	3.15



Tarring & Cold Patch .....	295.16	
T. M. Timmons, and grader .....	55.00	
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Total .....	\$1,027.01	
Total Winter and Summer Work .....	1,577.01	
Less plowing driveways .....	\$26.00	
tarring road .....	214.00	
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		\$240.00
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Total cost to town .....	\$1,337.01	

TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEWFIELDS, N. H., DECEMBER 31, 1949

Date of Creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Bal. Income on hand Jan. 1, 1949	Income during Period	Expended during Period	Bal. Income on hand Dec. 31, 49
<i>Library Fund</i>								
Jan., 1901	John M. and Josephine Brodhead—Books	U. S. Treasury Bonds—Exeter Banking Co.	\$10,000.00	2 7-8, 2½% 2, 2½, 3 1-3	\$2,020.95	*\$328.19	\$345.90	\$2,003.24
<i>Town Hall Fund</i>								
Jan., 1930 & '49	Isabel Paul—c/o grounds	U. S. Savings Bond, Series G.	\$1,200.00	2½	10.06	21.37	30.00	1.43
<i>Cemetery Funds</i>								
Jan., 1887	William L. Walker—c/o of lot in Locust Grove Cemetery and General Care	U. S. Savings Bond Series G	1,000.00	2½	19.22	25.00	24.00	20.22
Mar., 1903	Green C. Fowler—c/o lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		200.00	2.69	16.34	5.38	5.00	16.72
Jan., 1911	Joseph Allen—c/o lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		200.00	2.69	22.59	5.38	5.00	22.97
Dec., 1916	Carrie Dearborn and Sarah Rider—c/o lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		100.00	2.69	1.95	2.69	2.60	2.04
June, 1917	Charles W. Palmer—c/o lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		100.00	2.69	6.24	2.69	2.60	6.33
Mar., 1922	Mary E. Chase—c/o J. W. Kuse lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		100.00	2.69	2.91	2.69	2.50	3.10
Feb., 1923	Angela P. Ingram—c/o Joseph Kelly lot, Rockingham Cemetery		50.00	2.69	9.31	1.35	10.60	.06
Mar., 1926	Feb.-June, 1945, Harry K. Torrey & Est. Ethel T. Fuller, Feb. 4, '48, Jan. '49, H. K. T., c/o Neal-Torrey Lot, Loc. Gr. Cem.		100.00	2.69	4.07	8.94	5.00	8.01
Mar., 1926	Lucy N. Sanborn—c/o Chas. H. Sanborn lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		100.00	2.69	2.81	2.69	2.50	3.00
Mar., 1927	John Francis Kennard—c/o lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		100.00	2.69	7.46	2.69	2.50	7.65
Mar., 1927	Charles E. Austin and Nellie A. Randall—c/o lot in Locust Grove Cemetery	U. S. Treasury Bonds at rates of 2½, and 2 7-8 %	250.00	2.69	23.86	5.38	4.00	25.24
July, 1929	Camella M. Perry—c/o William E. Gilson lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		100.00	2.69	10.25	2.69	2.50	10.44
July, 1929	Congregational Church Society—c/o Hilton Burleigh lot, Rock. Cemetery		100.00	2.69	2.10	2.69	2.50	2.29
Apr., 1931	Laura A. Dixon—c/o Neal lot, Piscassic Cemetery		200.00	2.69	6.22	5.38	4.67	6.93
Mar., 1934	W. H. & Etta Pease & Carrie Wingate—c/o of Hollis Pease lot in Piscassic Cemetery		150.00	2.69	O D .61	4.04	3.50	O D .07
Oct., 1935	Elizabeth F. Grindrod—c/o Albert Field lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		200.00	2.69	25.59	5.38	4.75	26.22
Feb., 1936	F. O. Kuse—c/o lot in Locust Grove Cemetery		200.00	2.69	19.11	5.38	4.75	19.74

1900	1911	1922	1933	1944	1955	1966	1977	1988	1999
Cemetery .....									
Sept., Alfred & Juliette Conner—c/o Jos.									
1936 Pease lot in Piscassic Cemetery .....									
Feb., Clara L. & Levi L. Pollard & Clara									
1939 Blinn—c/o lots Nos. 41-42 Rocking-									
ham Cemetery .....									
Apr., A. A. Schenck—c/o lot in Rocking-									
1939 ham Cemetery .....									
Dec., Mrs. Fred O. Langley—c/o half lot									
1939 No. 115 in Rockingham Cemetery ..									
Mar., Lucius Pease Fund—c/o lot in Piscas-									
1941 sic Cemetery .....									
Mar., George W. Paul Fund—c/o lot in									
1941 Rockingham Cemetery .....									
Apr., Perley R. Bean Fund—c/o lot in									
1942 Rockingham Cemetery .....									
Aug., Alfred Conner—c/o William H. Con-									
1942 ner lot in Locust Grove Cemetery ..									
July, Frank C. Taplin—c/o Broadhead-									
1943 Taplin lot in Locust Grove Cemetery.									
Nov., Alice B. Paul—c/o Charles E. Dur-									
1944 rell & George H. Tilton lots in Lo-									
cust Grove Cemetery .....									
Dec., Estate of Frank E. Lang—c/o lot									
1944 No. 95, Rockingham Cemetery .....									
Jan., Christopher J. O'Leary Fund—to									
1945 be held until maturity. Thereafter									
income to be used for care of lot									
in Rockingham Cemetery .....									
Aug., E. C. Partridge & D. B. Partridge—									
1946 c/o lot in Locust Grove Cemetery ..									
Sept., Estate of Mary W. Tarlton—c/o lot									
1946 in Locust Grove Cemetery .....									
Mar., George L. Chase, c/o Bunker-Chase									
1947 lot in Locust Grove Cemetery .....									
Sept., Cora C. Reed, % Francis A. Clay									
1948 lot, Rockingham Cemetery .....									
General .....									
Dec. 31, 1949 Cemetery Totals .....									
Dec., Town of Newfields—Capital Re-									
1945-6 serve Fund .....									
Less paid Town Treas., Dec. 22, 1949									

NOTE: \*Includes interest accrued on Savings Bonds. OD: Overdraft.

ROBERT E. NIXON, ROY M. WOODWARD, JAMES E. GRAY, Trustees of Trust Funds.

TOWN OF NEWFIELDS TRUST FUNDS  
LIBRARY FUND RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Year Ending December 31, 1949

Balance on hand, January 1, 1949 ..... \$2,020.95

*Receipts:*

Treasurer of the United States, interest .....	\$320.00*	
The Exeter Banking Co., interest .....	.24	
Sale of Books .....	7.95	
		<hr/> \$328.19
		<hr/> \$2,349.14

*Expenditures:*

Feb.

23, Supt. of Documents, books ..	\$1.75
23, Doubleday & Co., Inc., books ..	4.20
23, Helen J. Simpson, books ..	11.15
23, The New England Co., books ..	28.25

Mar.

31, Supt. of Documents, Bal. on book .....	.25
31, American Library Assn., lists ..	5.00
31, Exeter News-Letter Co., subscription .....	2.50

May

13, The Quarrie Corp., year book ..	1.00
13, Doubleday & Co., Inc., books ..	4.20
13, The H. R. Huntting Co., books .....	46.71

July

27, Helen J. Simpson, books ..	11.95
27, The New England News Co., books .....	2.57
27, Doubleday & Co., Inc., books ..	18.50
27, The H. R. Huntting, Co., books .....	8.89



Sept.

17, Doubleday & Co., Inc., books	4.20
17, The New England News Co., books .....	27.98
17, Helen J. Simpson, books ...	1.50

Nov.

10, Doubleday & Co., Inc., books	67.60
10, Curtis Circulation Co., sub- scription .....	8.00
28, The S. F. Clafin Agency, subscriptions .....	46.05

Dec.

10, College Book Exchange, book	3.30
10, The New England News Co., book .....	2.22
28, Helen J. Simpson, books ..	5.00
28, The H. R. Huntting Co., books	15.33
28, The New England News Co., books .....	5.85
31, The H. R. Huntting Co., books	11.95

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\$345.90

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Balance December 31, 1949 ..... \$2,003.24

\* Includes interest accrued on Savings bonds.

ROBERT E. NIXON,  
ROY M. WOODWARD,  
JAMES E. GRAY,

*Trustees of Trust Funds.*

TOWN OF NEWFIELDS TRUST FUNDS  
CEMETERY RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Year Ending December 31, 1949

Balance on hand, January 1, 1949 . . . . . \$354.40

*Receipts:*

Treasurer of the United States, interest . . . . .	\$167.90	
The Exeter Banking Co., interest . . . . .	3.30	
Cora C. Reed, acc. Clay lot . . . . .	5.00	
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		\$176.20

*Expenditures:*

\$530.60

June

6, James Herlihy, care . . . . .	\$10.00
6, Ernest Pease, care . . . . .	10.00
6, Merle Sharp, grading . . . . .	22.00
6, Young Hardware Co., grass seed . . . . .	1.35

July

27, George E. Smith, hauling rubbish . . . . .	2.50
27, James Herlihy, care . . . . .	20.00
27, Ernest Pease, care . . . . .	20.00

Sept.

17, Ernest Pease, care . . . . .	25.00
17, James Herlihy, care . . . . .	25.00

Nov.

10, James Herlihy, care . . . . .	5.50
10, Ernest Pease, care . . . . .	5.50
10, John Daley, Jr., care at Piscassic . . . . .	14.00

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\$160.85

Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 . . . . . \$369.75

ROBERT E. NIXON,  
ROY M. WOODWARD,  
JAMES E. GRAY,  
*Trustees of Trust Funds.*

TOWN OF NEWFIELDS TRUST FUNDS  
CARE OF TOWN HALL GROUNDS

Year Ending December 31, 1949

Balance, January 1, 1949 ..... \$10.06

*Receipts:*

June

1, Treasurer of United States, in-  
terest ..... \$6.25

July

1, Treasurer of the United States,  
interest ..... 8.75

Sept.

26, The Exeter Banking Co., Savings  
Dept., interest ..... .12

Dec.

1, Treasurer of the United States,  
interest ..... 6.25

————— \$21.37

————— \$31.43

*Expenditures:*

Nov.

1, James Herlihy ..... \$15.00

1, Ernest Pease ..... 15.00

————— \$30.00

Balance, December 31, 1949 ..... \$1.43

ROBERT E. NIXON,  
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JAMES E. GRAY,  
*Trustees of Trust Funds.*

TOWN OF NEWFIELDS TRUST FUNDS  
CAPITAL RESERVE FUND

Year Ending December 31, 1949

	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Income</i>	
Balance, January 1, 1949 . . .	\$400.00	\$21.00	
<i>Received:</i>			
Exeter Banking Co., interest		8.46	
		<hr/>	\$29.46
<i>Expenditures:</i>			
Dec. 22, Treasurer, Town of Newfields, N. H.:			
Badger Park Fund and in- terest . . . . .	100.00	7.21	
Balance of Interest on Fire Equipment Fund . . . . .		.61	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	\$7.82
Balance, December 31, 1949 .	\$300.00	. . . .	\$21.64

ROBERT E. NIXON,  
ROY M. WOODWARD,  
JAMES E. GRAY,  
*Trustees of Trust Funds.*



TOWN OF NEWFIELDS TRUST FUNDS  
PRINCIPAL RECEIVED

Year Ending December 31, 1949

*Receipts:*

Jan. 3, 1949, Isabel Paul .....	\$700.00
Addition to Town Hall Fund	
Jan. 3, 1949, Harry K. Torrey .....	100.00
Addition to Neal-Torrey Fund	
	<hr/> \$800.00

*Disbursements:*

Investment in Series G Bonds .....	\$800.00
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ROBERT E. NIXON,  
ROY M. WOODWARD,  
JAMES E. GRAY,  
*Trustees.*

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DURHAM, N. H., February 11, 1950.

This is to certify that I have audited the books of the Town of Newfields, New Hampshire, for the period January 1, 1949, to December 31, 1949. The report as presented to the Selectmen is in accord with the books and records as given to me and to the best of my knowledge and belief presents the true standing of the town's records.

A. W. JOHNSON,  
*Certified Public Accountant.*

# Library Report

1949

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Number of volumes added to the Library ..... 159

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Number of adult volumes in circulation ..... 2,786

Number of juvenile volumes in circulation ..... 1,251

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4,037

## Periodicals

American Magazine	Ladies' Home Journal
Atlantic Monthly	National Geographic
Better Homes and Garden	Parent's Magazine
Calling All Girls	Popular Mechanics
Child Life	Reader's Digest
Exeter News-Letter	Saturday Evening Post
Good Housekeeping	Seventeen
Holiday	Time
Jack and Jill	Woman's Home Companion
Life	New Hamp. Troubadour

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There has been in the past year an increase in circulation due to the fact that we have been able part of the year to supplant our books with those from the State Library. Since the legislature of 1949 found it not advisable to appropriate funds to the State Library for this service to adults, we are now getting books only for children. During 1949, I have tried to purchase good books that will be an aid in the school work and also an interest to boys and girls in the Junior and Senior High School.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

*Dr.*

Cash on hand January 1, 1949 .....	\$23.01	
Received from fines .....	28.04	
		———— \$51.05

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Box rent .....	\$0.60	
Supplies and postage .....	12.33	
Cash on hand December 31, 1949 .....	38.12	
		———— \$51.05

HELEN J. SIMPSON,

*Librarian.*

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF OLD HOME DAY COMMITTEE

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### *Receipts:*

Town of Newfields .....	\$25.00
American Legion .....	5.00
American Legion Auxiliary .....	5.00
St. Cecilia's Society .....	5.00
Parent-Teacher Association .....	5.00
Community Church Auxiliary .....	5.00
Fire Department .....	5.00
Piscassic Grange .....	5.00
Robert Nixon (contributions) .....	96.75
James Gray (contributions) .....	18.00
Sale of souvenir rulers and letter openers .....	21.10
Sale of pie .....	.35

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\$196.20

### *Expenditures:*

Exeter News-Letter .....	\$7.50
Stamps, mailing invitations .....	6.78
Guest book .....	1.50
Exeter High School Band .....	25.00
Mr. Preble, director of band .....	10.00
Orchestra for dance .....	15.00
Blanchette's Bakery (pies for contest) ..	6.30
Felt Crafters (rulers, letter openers) ..	20.97
Dolls (used as prizes) .....	6.00
Lollipops (parade prizes) .....	3.00
Badges (used for prizes) .....	5.75
Tags (for children's refreshments) ....	.45
Mary Swart (crepe paper) .....	5.30



Marshall Transportation Co. ....	10.00	
Turcotte's Hardware (prizes for bicycle parade) .....	8.38	
Special policemen .....	14.00	
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		\$145.93
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Balance .....		\$50.27
On Deposit Exeter Banking Co. ....	\$50.00	
Cash on hand .....	.27	

MARY B. HALLINAN,

*Secretary-Treasurer,*

*Old Home Day Committee.*

## FOREST FIRES — OUR MOST SHAMEFUL WASTE

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Everyone apparently fears fire but too many are careless with it. This is particularly true of fires in and near woodlands. Official figures show that more than 98 per cent of all forest fires result from human carelessness and can be prevented. Consequently, we may say "Forest Fires are our most shameful waste."

Annual forest fire losses are tremendous and their effects far reaching. Such fires destroy the raw products of the forests, the protection forests provide for game and the supply of ground water. They upset local economies by drawing men from gainful employment and requiring the expenditure of public funds to extinguish them.

Our forest fire organization is doing a good job in keeping the size of fires small, but the number of fires is increasing. In 1949 there were 100 more fires in New Hampshire than in 1948, but they burned 500 acres less. For the warden and his deputies to do the job they are capable of, they must have the cooperation of the public — YOU!

The primary objective of all fire fighters is PREVENTION — fire stoppage. This is the goal toward which your local forest fire warden and his deputies are constantly working. It can be achieved ONLY if YOU and YOU and YOU cooperate with them. It is worth YOUR effort and can be accomplished by:

1. Being careful with fire in or near woodland, being particularly careful with matches and cigarettes.
2. Securing the required written permit from the warden when the ground is not covered with snow.

3. Insisting that others be careful and comply with burning requirements.
4. Calling the warden promptly when fire is detected and aiding him to extinguish it.

Let's reduce the number of forest fires and eliminate our most shameful waste.

#### 1949 Fire Record:

Number of fires .....	none
Acreage burned .....	none
Number of fire permits issued .....	4

D. PERRY SMITH,

*Forest Fire Warden.*

MERTON A. WEBBER,

*District Chief.*

## School Warrant

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*To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Newfields in the County of Rockingham, State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the thirteenth day of March, 1950, at seven o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose by ballot a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose by ballot a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose by ballot a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose by ballot a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
8. To see if the District will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.
9. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to

authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

10. To see if the district will vote to form a cooperative elementary school district for grades up to and including the sixth grade with the Exeter school district, and any other neighboring districts, effective July 1, 1950, as provided in Chapter 199, Laws of 1947, in accordance with a plan of organization as presented at this meeting.

11. To see if the district will appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00, to be used at the discretion of the School Board, for the installation of a new boiler for the school building.

12. To see if the district wishes to continue payment of transportation for High School Pupils.

13. To see if the district will appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for water improvement at the school house.

GLADYS M. SMITH,  
LILLIAN E. CARNEY,  
GEORGE L. HINCKLEY,

*School Board of Newfields.*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

GLADYS M. SMITH,  
LILLIAN E. CARNEY,  
GEORGE L. HINCKLEY,

*School Board of Newfields.*



## Report of School Board

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The annual meeting of the School District of Newfields was held at the Town Hall on March 5, 1949, at 8 o'clock in the evening. Because of the use of the Australian ballot, the meeting convened at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of voting by ballot. The polls were open from 4 until 9 P. M.

The business meeting opened at 8 P. M. and the warrant was read by the moderator. The articles not on the ballot were voted on.

The following officers were elected: James E. Gray, moderator; Mary B. Hallinan, clerk; Josephine F. Chesley, treasurer; Henry C. Pierce, auditor; George L. Hinckley, member of School Board for three years. Mrs. Gladys M. Smith was elected chairman of the School Board for the coming year.

A committee for investigating the proposed Consolidated School District was appointed from the floor. Mr. James Mace, chairman; Mr. Ernest Boulay, Mr. Leslie Hayden, Mrs. Lillian Carney and Mr. George Hinckley were appointed and have been meeting with the committees from the other four towns interested. The program has been studied very carefully and the committees deserve a great deal of credit for the amount of work accomplished in a short time.

The School Board wishes to express its appreciation for the excellent work of our Superintendent, Mr. Raymond Hoyt; our Teachers, Mrs. Elizabeth Mudgett, and Mrs. Gladys Clements; our new Music Supervisor, Mrs. Eleanor Henry, and our new School Nurse, Miss Nancy Carnegie.

We also wish to express our gratitude for the continued support and cooperation given by the Parent-Teacher Association and the Red Cross.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR — 1950-51

School opens — Sept. 6 (Wednesday)	
closes — Dec. 21 (Thursday)	74 days, 16 weeks
opens — Jan. 2 (Tuesday)	
closes — Feb. 16 (Friday)	34 days, 7 weeks
opens — Feb. 26 (Monday)	
closes — April 13 (Friday)	35 days, 7 weeks
opens — April 23 (Monday)	
closes — June 15 (Friday)	39 days, 8 weeks
	<hr/> 182 days, 38 weeks

### Holidays:

October 12 — Columbus Day.

October 19 and 20 — State Convention, Concord.

November 23 and 24 — Thanksgiving Recess

(Thursday and Friday).

May 30 — Memorial Day (Wednesday).

School will be dismissed at noon on November 22 and on December 21.

By ruling of the State Board of Education, school must be in session 180 days.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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*To the School Board of Newfields, N. H.:*

I take pleasure in submitting my second annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

The school year 1949-1950 opened with three changes in personnel. Mrs. Gladys Clements of Stratham replaced Miss Laura Sewall as teacher of Grades 1-3. Mrs. Eleanor Henry of Kensington assumed the work of music instructor to replace Mrs. Leona Foster who moved away from this area. Miss Nancy Carnegie started her work as school nurse for Supervisory Union No. 16. She replaced Mrs. Eloise Sheehy who had rendered excellent service for several years but who felt she should retire from her work as school nurse. The above teachers, along with Mrs. Elisabeth Mudgett who remained as teacher of Grades 4-6, give Newfields a satisfactory staff of competent teachers who are endeavoring to work for the best interests of the boys and girls in the various phases of their school life.

This year some badly needed new textbooks have been purchased and put into use in both school rooms. Such books are an investment in better education, for they aid both the teachers and students in pursuing modern methods of instruction and in giving up to date information in the various subjects.

Another improvement has been the installation of new outside doors off the boys' and girls' washrooms. These greatly enhance the safety of the children in case of emergency by furnishing exits at the rear of the building as well as at the front.

The school district voted at its school meeting in March, 1949, to appoint a committee to study the possibility of forming a cooperative elementary school dis-

trict for the area. The school districts of Exeter, Stratham, and East Kingston voted to do the same. Kensington was invited to participate in the study unofficially because that town is faced with the same problems in elementary education as the other towns. The committees of the several towns were united into one large committee to carry on the study. The results of the study have been publicized through the distribution of printed copies and the holding of public meetings.

The problem facing all of us is to decide how our children can have the best education possible within the means of each of the towns. There are two avenues of approach to the issue:

1. Each town can face its own problems independently.
2. The towns can combine their resources by forming a cooperative elementary school district and by building a centralized school for the children of all the towns. If a cooperative district is to be formed, the decision should be made soon before the individual towns invest money in their own independent districts.

The immediate problems facing the Newfields school district are the worn out boiler now in use and the inadequate water supply at the school.

Before any money is invested toward solving these problems, a definite decision should be made concerning the direction which the voters of Newfields wish to take as mentioned above. The decision which the citizens must make is of major importance and will determine the educational future of the boys and girls for years to come.

It is my sincere hope that you, the citizens, will give serious thought to the pros and cons of each of the two possibilities and that you will make every ef-

fort to provide the best possible education for the boys and girls of the town.

The Parent-Teacher Association continues to be an actives organization which is working for the welfare of the school.

I call your attention to the reports and tables which follow. I trust that they will prove of interest to you.

I wish to thank the citizens, the members of the School Board, and the teachers for their continued cooperation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND A. HOYT,

*Superintendent of Supervisory Union No. 16.*

Newfields, N. H., January, 21, 1950.



TABLE I

## NEWFIELDS PUPILS

Total Enrollment January 1, 1950

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Newfields .....	3	10	8	6	5	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 42
Exeter High School ..	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	2	2	2	— 12
Robinson Seminary ..	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	7	1	3	3	— 22
St. Michael School ..	2	2	1	3	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	— 13
Portsmouth High ....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	— 5
Exeter Day School ....	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	— 1
St. Mary .....	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	— 2
Newmarket Elementary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	— 1
Dover High .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	— 2
Totals .....	6	12	9	10	6	11	7	10	10	5	6	8	— 100
1949 Comparison ....	12	10	10	8	10	10	9	11	5	6	7	9	— 107

TABLE II

## NEWFIELDS SCHOOL

Statistics for Grades I to VI for Ten Years Ending June 30, 1949

School Year	Weeks in Year	No. of Boys	No. of Girls	Total Pupils	Average Attendance	Average Absence	Average Membership	Per Cent of Attendance	Cases of Tardiness	Visits of Superintendent	Visits of Others
1939 - 40	38	19	23	42	40.41	1.00	41.41	97.54	50	51	73
1940 - 41	37	16	24	40	36.59	2.53	39.12	93.53	24	65	103
1941 - 42	37	18	27	45	37.02	1.72	38.74	95.56	49	55	112
1942 - 43	37	16	24	40	35.43	2.62	38.05	93.11	40	59	63
1943 - 44	38	21	21	42	36.65	2.37	39.02	94.00	24	43	121
1944 - 45	37	20	26	46	35.09	2.31	37.40	94.00	90	68	132
1945 - 46	37	23	22	45	35.99	1.85	37.84	95.10	32	51	89
1946 - 47	36	28	26	54	41.89	2.18	44.07	95.05	45	49	59
1947 - 48	37	33	21	54	47.59	3.23	50.82	93.63	64	44	39
1948 - 49	37	35	18	53	45.10	2.19	47.29	95.36	47	48	35

TABLE III

Perfect Attendance for School Year 1948-1949

SANDRA MACDOUGALL

WAYNE MELANSON

FRANKLIN SWART

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

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### *To the Superintendent of Schools:*

Following is the report of the school nurse from September 7, 1949, to January 1, 1950.

Bi-weekly visits have been made to the schools at which times the first aid kit was checked and fresh supplies added, children have been weighed and measured—a weight and growth chart is kept in the schools which is of great interest to the children and of value to the nurse; vision and hearing have been tested, teeth and tonsils have been checked, skin and hair examined frequently. If time permitted little health talks were given in the classrooms. All defects found were reported to the parents. If the defect was not corrected in a reasonable length of time, home visits were made to determine the cause of delay.

This year the Maico Individual Audiometer, a recent gift of the Exeter Kiwanis Club to the schools of this Union, was used. This made it possible to test the hearing of the children in the first and second grades as well as the other children.

There is yet much that can be done in planning and carrying out a health program for school children. Ideas and theories have changed in this field, as in other fields, and it is hoped that as time and opportunity avail themselves these will be put into effect.

Following is a report of the physical examination:

Number of pupils examined .....	43
Defective vision .....	8
Corrected .....	8
Defective teeth .....	12
Defective tonsils .....	3
Defective hearing .....	4
All have been vaccinated.	

The Newfields Red Cross has furnished cod liver oil to those who need it.

At this time I would like to express my appreciation for the cooperation of our superintendent, teachers, School Board, and the Red Cross. Everyone has been most gracious in helping me get started with my work here.

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY CARNEGIE, R. N.

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

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*To the Superintendent of Schools:*

My duties as teacher of music in the Newfields School were assumed in September, 1949. Work was begun on the fundamentals of music, training in two-part music and the learning of new songs.

The annual Christmas program was given on December 22d, at which time specially prepared Christmas music was sung, including some two-part songs.

I enjoy working with the children and I am looking forward to work on an operetta which will begin sometime in the spring.

My aim is to have the children have a thorough knowledge of the fundamentals of music, the ability to read music, to sing music in parts and to love and appreciate good music, all of which can mean so much in all of our lives.

I wish to thank Mr. Hoyt, the Newfields School Board, the Parent-Teacher Association and the teachers for their splendid cooperation.

Respectfully submitted.

ELEANOR HENRY,

*Supervisor of Music.*

Kensington, N. H., January 14, 1950.

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1948 to June 30, 1949

### *Receipts*

Balance on hand July 1, 1948 .....	\$396.00
Town appropriation .....	9,331.13
Dog tax .....	\$124.41
Refund .....	27.40
State treas. (school lunch pro- gram) .....	42.70
State treasurer, State Aid ...	4,611.37
	\$4,805.88
Total receipts from all sources .....	\$14,533.01

### *Disbursements*

Superintendent's salary .....	\$118.00
Superintendent's expenses and office administration .....	19.50
Superintendent's secretary's sal- ary .....	82.00
	\$219.50
Salaries of district officers:	
George E. Smith .....	\$16.75
Gladys M. Smith .....	25.00
Lillian E. Carney .....	25.00
George L. Hinckley .....	8.25
Josephine F. Chesley .....	25.00
James E. Gray .....	2.00
Mary B. Hallinan .....	2.00
School census .....	2.00
	\$106.00
	\$325.50

### Teachers' Salaries:

Mrs. Elizabeth Mudgett .....	\$2,000.00
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Miss Annie L. Sewall .....	1,903.90	
Mrs. Leona Foster .....	200.00	
Mrs. Gladys Clements (substitute) .....	6.00	
Mrs. Hazel Tufts (substitute) .....	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,113.90
Expense of administration .....	\$91.91	
Text books .....	79.71	
Scholars' supplies .....	147.54	
Other expenses of instruction ..	31.48	
Flags and appurtenances .....	2.25	
Janitor services .....	350.00	
Fuel .....	370.02	
Water, light and janitor's supplies .....	140.65	
Minor repairs and expenses. ...	183.89	
Medical inspection and supplies	200.00	
Transportation of pupils:		
Elementary .....	\$1,000.00	
High .....	1,250.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,250.00
High school tuition .....	3,556.40	
Elementary school tuition .....	1,786.20	
Insurance .....	67.00	
Per capita tax .....	174.00	
Teachers' retirement (adjustment) .....	1.25	
School lunch program .....	42.70	
	<hr/>	\$9,475.00
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Total Disbursements .....		\$13,914.40
Balance on hand July 1, 1949 .....		618.61
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		\$14,533.01

GLADYS M. SMITH,  
LILLIAN E. CARNEY,  
GEORGE L. HINCKLEY,  
*School Board of Newfields.*

# REPORT OF TREASURER

## Newfields School District

July 1, 1948, to June 30, 1949

### *Receipts*

Cash on hand July 1, 1948 .....	\$396.00
Town appropriations .....	\$9,331.13
Dog tax .....	124.41
State Treasurer .....	4,611.37
Milk Fund .....	42.70
Other Sources:	
Refund from William McGaughey .	27.40
	<hr/> \$14,137.01
	<hr/> \$14,533.01

### *Disbursements*

Paid out per order of School Board	\$13,871.70
Paid out for milk fund .....	42.70
	<hr/> \$13,914.40
Balance on hand June 30, 1949 .....	\$618.61
July 1, 1949, to Jan. 31, 1950	
Balance in treasury on July 1, 1949 .....	\$618.61
Town appropriations .....	\$6,197.62
Reimbursement from tuition .....	20.00
State Aid .....	4,883.29
	<hr/> \$11,100.91
	<hr/> \$11,719.52
Paid out per order of School Board .....	\$9,083.95
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Cash in treasury Jan. 31, 1950 .....	\$2,635.57

JOSEPHINE F. CHESLEY,  
*Treasurer.*

## SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1950-1951

### *Support of Schools:*

Teachers' salaries .....	\$4,500.00	
Text books .....	100.00	
Scholars' supplies .....	150.00	
Flags and appurtenances .....	5.00	
Other expenses of instruction .....	20.00	
Janitor service .....	450.00	
Fuel .....	375.00	
Minor repairs and expenses .....	200.00	
Water, light and janitor's supplies	150.00	
Health supervision .....	120.00	
Transportation (elem. Exeter and Piscassic) .....	2,000.00	
Payment of elementary tuition ....	1,690.00	
		\$9,760.00

### *Statutory Requirements:*

Salaries of district officers .....	\$220.00	
Truant officer and school census ....	10.00	
Payment of high school tuition ....	5,775.00	
Transportation (High — Exeter and Portsmouth) .....	550.00	
Superintendent's excess salary and travel .....	142.89	
District's share of superintendent's expenses and secretary's salary ..	150.00	
Per capita tax .....	188.00	
Expenses of administration .....	100.00	
Retirement for teachers, superin- tendent and nurse .....	231.96	
		\$7,367.85

Deficit estimated — March to June	
1950 .....	197.62
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Total estimate .....	\$17,325.47
Revenue:	
Dog tax .....	\$162.62
Damage by dogs .....	35.00
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	\$197.62
State Aid .....	4,883.29
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<b>Total</b> .....	<b>\$5,080.91</b>
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Balance to be raised by taxation .....	\$12,244.56

GLADYS M. SMITH,  
 LILLIAN E. CARNEY,  
 GEORGE L. HINCKLEY,  
*School Board of Newfields.*

January 28, 1950.

JAMES E. GRAY,	ALFRED CONNER, JR.,
LESLIE F. HAYDEN,	HENRY C. PIERCE,
ROY M. WOODWARD,	ROBERT E. NIXON,
GLADYS M. SMITH,	JOHN E. HERLIHY,
<i>Budget Committee of Newfields.</i>	

### AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that I have audited the books and financial records of the School District of the Town of Newfields, New Hampshire, which were presented to me for my examination for the period, July 1, 1948, to June 30, 1949, and to the best of my knowledge and belief they are correct with a cash balance of \$618.61 on deposit with the Rockingham National Bank, Exeter, New Hampshire.

July 6, 1949. HENRY C. PIERCE,  
*Auditor.*

## Vital Statistics

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### BIRTHS

*Date, name of child, name of father, and maiden name of mother.*

May 14, 1949. John Oliver Jordan, 3d., John Oliver Jordan, Jr., Mary Elizabeth Rumford. (Record received May 23, 1949). Born in Exeter Hospital.

June 10, 1949. Richard Wayne Webb, Lyle Richter Webb, Shirley Irene Smart. (Record received June 24, 1949). Born in Exeter Hospital.

June 11, 1949. Linda Barbara Tebo, William Carl Tebo, Barbara Alice Smith. (Record received June 24, 1949). Born in Exeter Hospital.

July 29, 1949. David Frederick Peaslee, David Herbert Peaslee, Frances Prince. (Record received Aug. 11, 1949). Born in Exeter Hospital.

July 29, 1949. Donna Frances Peaslee, David Herbert Peaslee, Frances Prince. (Record received Aug. 11, 1949). Born in Exeter Hospital.

Sept. 30, 1949. Michael Joseph Daley, James Patrick Daley, Virginia Francine Goodrich. (Record received Oct. 7, 1949). Born in Exeter Hospital.

Dec. 18, 1949. Richard Earl Bonner, Robert Everett Bonner, Sr., Irene Elizabeth Caswell. (Record received Jan. 20, 1950). Born in Exeter Hospital.

Dec. 21, 1949. James Lawrence Magoon, Arland Clifton Magoon, Margaret Esther Davey. (Record received Jan. 21, 1950). Born in Exeter Hospital.



## MARRIAGES

*Date, where married, name of parties, and name of person performing the ceremony.*

May 7, 1949. Alfred Francis St. Jean and Rose Couture, married in Somersworth, N. H., by Rev. Lionel Boulay, Catholic priest.

June 17, 1949. Herbert Folger Rawson and Grace Mildred Davey, married in Stratham, N. H., by Everard W. Snow, Congregational clergyman.

June 26, 1949. Vivian Ira Sharp and Angeline Soteropoulos, married in Dover, N. H., by Rev. N. Diamantopoulos, a Greek Orthodox priest.

Sept. 2, 1949. John David French and Marion Roberta Caswell, married in Stratham, by Marion T. Brewster, justice of the peace.

Sept. 10, 1949. Ross Vernon Glass and Carole Betty Turner, married in Newfields by Dr. Ernest R. Calvert, Baptist clergyman.

Nov. 12, 1949. Daniel Perry Smith, Jr., and Charlene Alta Sharp, married in Newfields by Rev. Ida A. Green, Congregational minister.

Nov. 22, 1949. Paul Joseph Flahive and Mary Lillian Homer, married in Newfields by Alice J. Patridge, justice of the peace.

## DEATHS

Deaths registered in Newfields, N. H., for the year  
ending December 31, 1949.

*Date, name and surname of deceased, age, name of  
father and maiden name of mother.*

Jan. 6, 1949. Alfred Henry Boulay, 71 years, 4  
months, Jean Baptiste Boulay, Celina Adam.

May 7, 1949. John Fremont Ayer, 93 years, 5  
months, 20 days, Joseph Ayer, Eunice Noyes.

May 21, 1949. Leroy Pitt Otis, 74 years, 2 months,  
4. days, George Otis, Nellie Merrow.

July 28, 1949. Ellen Lomasney Hickey, 80 years, 18  
days, Cornelius Lomasney, Elizabeth Myles.

Aug. 24, 1949. William George Nixon, 64 years, 8  
months, 23 days, William Nixon, Sarah E. Platt.

Sept. 29, 1949. Everett E. Wilson, 78 years, 7  
months, 21 days, Emery S. Wilson, Addie Fawcett.

Dec. 1, 1949. Josephine Catherine Barron, 80 years,  
9 months, 24 days, Florence Driscoll, Catherine Regan.

Dec. 13, 1949. Emma F. Hale, 68 years, 4 months,  
19 days, Simeon Hardy, Sarah Evans.

Alice J. Patridge,  
*Town Clerk.*

## UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES AS OF

February 13, 1950

Uncollected 1949 Poll Taxes:

Austin Caswell	Dorothy Caswell
Norman Caswell	Elizabeth Coffin
Ida Anderson	Emma Pease
H. Wilson Anderson	Ernest Pease
May Austin	Ethel Gilbert
Belle Caswell	Omer Melanson

Wilma Melanson





